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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

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## **ARREST RELEASE**

On 06/26/2016, members of the Rockford Police Department Specialized Community Oriented Police Enforcement team (SCOPE) observed a mini-van traveling at a high rate of speed in the 1000 block of School Street, Rockford, Illinois. Officers conducted a traffic stop and learned the vehicle was occupied by four subjects. The driver was identified as a seventeen year old male juvenile. He did not have a valid driver's license. One of the passengers, 19 year old Rockford resident Jayven Davis-Williams, was found to be in possession of a firearm. The suspects were charged with the following offenses:

Male juvenile, 17 years of age

**Charges:**

**Speeding**

**No Valid DL**

Jayven Davis-Williams, 19 years of age

**Charges:**

**Aggravated Unlawful Use of a Weapon**

**Violation of the Firearm Owner's Identification Card Act**

The charges are merely accusations. Both subjects are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

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